

Copolymers containing sulfonic acid groups and carboxyl groups

Abstract

5 Copolymers of

(A1) 70 to 100 mol% of at least two different monoethylenically unsaturated carboxylic acid monomers and

10 (A2) 0 to 30 mol% of one or more nonionic monomers,

which have been reacted with

15 (B) 5 to 30 mol%, based on the amidatable functional groups present in the copolymer of the monomers (A1) and if desired (A2), of an amino-C₁-C₂-alkanesulfonic acid and/or a salt thereof,

and the preparation of the copolymers and their use in detergents, cleaners and rinse aids.